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For: SULFONAMIDE SUBSTITUTED XANTHINE DERIVATIVES

REPLY & AMENDMENT

Nutley, New Jersey 07110 June 26, 2006

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 26, 2006, the Applicants respectfully request that the following remarks be made of record in the above-identified application. Submitted herewith is a Petition For Extension of Time accompanied by the appropriate provision authorizing payment of the required fee

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper. Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 25 of this paper.